

# ATTACHMENT B



<b>RCRS Secondary:</b>	GOV-02	<b>Effective Date:</b>	
<b>Policy Number:</b>	COU-240	<b>Amendment Date/s:</b>	
<b>Title:</b>	School Zone Signing	<b>Repeal Date:</b>	
<b>Department:</b>	Engineering and Public Works	<b>Approval Date:</b>	

## PURPOSE:

The City of Nanaimo (the “City”) is committed to improving transparency and consistency of school zone signing outcomes through the establishment and implementation of a fit-for-purpose, consistent approach to review of school zone signing and establishment of sign plans.

## DEFINITIONS:

School	An educational institution that is attended primarily by children. This includes elementary schools, middle schools, junior high schools, and high schools. No distinction is made between public and private schools.
School Area	A section of roadway adjacent to a school that is denoted by school area signing only.
School Zone	A section of roadway adjacent to a school that is denoted by school area signing and a reduced speed limit sign.

## SCOPE:

Delegated to Staff.

## POLICY:

The School Zone Review Matrix, as amended from time to time, is a mandatory administrative review which will be implemented pursuant to this Policy prior to the signing of school zones or school areas.

Not all schools will be eligible for school zone signing. These may include schools on multi-lane roadways where the roadway provides mobility for all modes and has higher traffic volumes.

## PROCESS:

N/A

## RELATED DOCUMENTS:

[School and Playground Areas and Zones: Guidelines for Application and Implementation – by Transportation Association of Canada](#)

School Zone Review Matrix

## REPEAL/AMENDS:

COU-118 – School Zone Signing Guidelines